

MAMMOTH LAUNDRY
Torrance Fire Department was called out Monday evening to wash down the streets at the intersection of Torrance boulevard and Cravens avenue when the gas tank on a Greyhound bus split a seam and spilled 100 gallons of diesel fuel on the pavement.

Permit Totals Top Old Records

Building permit totals moved another big step nearer the all-time record here during June, when the year's total skyrocketed to \$6,298,807, according to figures released this week by James Dresser, city building inspector.
Total evaluations for June were \$618,798, Dresser revealed. This represents an increase of \$30,701 over the total permits issued during May of this year.
At this time in 1948—a record year—the total value of permits issued had reached only \$4,034,896. The total for the 1948 record was \$7,979,825, or just \$1,681,018 more than the half-year mark for 1950.
City Manager George Stevens, who had predicted earlier this year that the year's total would reach the \$10 million mark, is now inclined to up his prediction a shade. He and other city officials now say it might get to \$12 million.



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Rotary Ex-Proxy Red Faced As Memory Flunks

For outgoing Rotary Club President W. T. "Hap" Tillotson, the night of June 30 is one that he is likely not to forget.
On that night, the outgoing service club president was the center of much ceremony during the annual Rotary Club Dedication Party.
Earlier the same evening he chided a Herald representative because, as the smiling ex-president said, "Your paper forgot to mention the dedication party in your last issue."
A bit red faced, the reporter (actually Grover C. Whyte, the publisher) tried to explain about space limitations, deadlines, and what not—all to no avail.
Later the same evening the redness was out a different face:
In the excitement of being uninstalled and demoted down to the rank and file, Tillotson forgot to introduce the club's new president—John Steinbaugh, principal of Torrance High School.

Storkatorials AT TORRANCE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Aday, Lomita, a son, born June 18 at 8:37 p.m.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Callis, 1688 W. 15th street, a daughter, born June 28 at 4:55 a.m.
Mr. and Mrs. John E. Donaldson, 1734 Caballo avenue, a daughter, born July 1, at 12:30 a.m.
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gabet, 1662 22nd street, a daughter, born June 21 at 8:07 p.m.
Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Geraghty, 2015 Kathy Way, a son, born July 1 at 1:27 p.m.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas N. Grant Jr., 1957 Plaza del Amo, a son, born June 28 at 9:31 p.m.
Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hase, 2065 W. 22nd street, a son, born June 21 at 5:30 a.m.
Mr. and Mrs. William B. Lewis, 805 Acacia avenue, a daughter, born June 22 at 11:20 p.m.
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roberts, 1658 203rd Street, a son, born July 1.
Mr. and Mrs. Allen Schwartz, 17321 Falda avenue, a son, born June 29 at 12:09 a.m.
Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Sheffield, 2040 W. 182nd street, a son, born June 28, at 4 p.m.

Lack of Blood Points Up Need For Torrance Bank

Need for a local blood bank was pointed out this week in the case of Mrs. Allen Svensk, 1318 Acacia avenue.
Mrs. Svensk is in the Torrance Memorial Hospital preparing for an operation this weekend. According to Dr. Phillip Halloran, her physician, she needs four pints of a rare blood type.
Her son, Arthur Svensk, has spent a fruitless weekend attempting to locate persons with the proper blood type. Needed is Type O-Rh factor negative.
The Los Angeles Red Cross bank is out.
Any person with the type of blood described above may offer it to Mrs. Svensk by contacting the Torrance Memorial Hospital.
"This situation may not have come about," said Mrs. Helen Mitchell, a Welcomes Wagon hostess and personal friend of the family, "if Torrance had a blood bank of its own."

Former Resident Buried Here

Final services for Grace Elizabeth Shamberger, 69, of 411 West 63rd place, Los Angeles, were held yesterday afternoon in the Stone and Myers chapel. Rev. Ben H. Lingenfelter, officiating. Interment followed in Roosevelt Memorial Park cemetery.
The deceased was a member of the American Legion Auxiliary No. 170 of Torrance; the VFW Auxiliary No. 622 of Lomita; and the Ladies' Circle of USN Fleet Reserve Auxiliary of Lomita. She had lived in Torrance for 15 years.
Funeral arrangements were made by friends of the deceased Harry C. Bowden, of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Charles E. Dunham, of 1408 West Carson street.

Weston Funeral Rites Pending

Funeral arrangements for Charles Weston, 65, who died July 1, were pending this week at the Stone and Myers Mortuary.
Weston, who had lived in Torrance for 25 years, apparently suffered a heart attack, at his home at 2061 1/2 West 285th street. A Fire Department inhalator squad was rushed to his home, but Weston was dead when they arrived.
The deceased, who had worked in the oil fields here for Kirby Day for 25 years, left no known relatives, Day said.

Kelley Remains Enroute To Home

The body of Elgin M. Kelley, 63, who died here on June 29, was shipped to his home state of Wisconsin yesterday accompanied by his brother, Glenn M. Kelley of Mauston, Wis.
The deceased was survived by his brother and two sisters, Mrs. Edith Keylock, and Mrs. Myrtle Huffman, both of Wisconsin. Arrangements here were made at Stone and Myers Mortuary. Burial service will be conducted by the W. R. Grant Funeral Home in Reedsburg, Wisconsin.

Trustees

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board is a petition—said to be signed by a number of local parents who objected to the old board "accepting the resignation" of Miss Hardy, former girls vice principal of the Torrance High School.
Just what the board will do with the petition is largely a matter of conjecture. Miss Hardy has left the district and accepted a contract with the South Pasadena-San Marino High School.

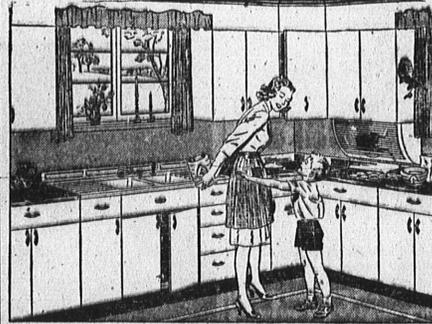
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Reflections
4th of July
By J. Hugh Sharley, Jr.
Go to bed,
alleep, get up,
do the same
job, in the
same - stop
right there.
We can do
our job in the
same way and ride
a carousel or we can think
of that job as a new ex-
perience and be thrilled;
making toast can be a
drum beat to make each piece
of bread a masterpiece of
golden brown in pure artistry.
Washing dishes can be a
bore some job or pride can
make it thrilling; glass that
sparkles, knives that gleam,
pans that are spotless, is not
less a work of art than
painting a picture. A clerk
who sees bolts of cloth, and
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